1	2	3	4	5	6
12	Kerala	2	1169.18	2179.51	—
13	Madhya Pradesh	18	21213.82	109384.11	40380.9
14	Maharashtra	12	19743.56	17961.64	4441.42
15	Manipur	1	461.63	570.89	—
16	Meghalaya	2	1457.87	2064.68	—
17	Mizoram	2	770.91	298.9	23.6
18	Nagaland	1	1031.28	430.11	—
19	Orissa	19	7384.75	31516.56	8494.48
20	Punjab	1	822.54	755.75	451.97
21	Rajasthan	6	4142.11	64100	22266.39
22	Sikkim	1	722.16	451.5	—
23	Tamil Nadu	6	6571.72	9889.21	429.41
24	Tripura	1	2572.97	1456.66	276.834
25	Uttaranchal	3	1269.11	1910.6	3700.97
26	Uttar Pradesh	22	33242.07	33498.69	145.7
27	West Bengal	10	17038.15	18358.84	1622.08
	TOTAL:	200	236756.74	437542.06	107955.548

Drinking water to rural areas in Maharashtra

†242. SHRI DATTA MEGHE: Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that Central Government have released the first instalment from the amount sanctioned for this year to provide pure drinking water to rural areas in Maharahstra;

(b) if so, the new locations in Vidarbha where pure drinking water schemes will be implemented; and

†Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.

(c) by when the people will get drinking water under the said schemes in Vidarbha?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI A. NARENDRA): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) Rural drinking water is a State subject. The Central Government, however, supplements the efforts of the States in providing drinking water facilities in the rural areas by rendering financial assistance and technical support through a Centrally Sponsored Scheme namely Accelerated Rural Water Supply Programme (ARWSP). The State Governments are competent to plan, sanction, implement and execute rural water suply projects from the funds provided under ARWSP. The details of such schemes are not maintained at Central level.

(c) Bharat Nirman has now been conceived as a plan to build rural infrastructure in four years period (2005-06 to 2008-09). Rural drinking water is one of the components of Bharat Nirman, which aims at coverage of all rural habitations by 2008-09.

Drinking water in Jharkhand and Chhattisgarh

243. MS. MABEL REBELLO: Will the Minister of RURAL DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) how many tribal hamlets have assured source of clean drinking water in Simdegha, Gumla, Palamu districts in Chhota Nagpur in Jharkhand and in Jasspur district of Chhattisgarh;

(b) by when the tribals of above mentioned districts will have adequate clean drinking water within a radius of around 100 metres of their residence; and

(c) the details of plan of action for the next three years?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RURAL DEVELOPMENT (SHRI A. NARENDRA): (a) to (c) Rural Drinking Water is a State subject. The Central Government, however, supplements the efforts of the States in providing drinking water facilities in the rural areas by rendering financial assistance and technical support through a Centrally Sponsored Scheme namely Accelerated Rural Water Supply Programme (ARWSP). The State Governments are competent to plan, sanction, implement and execute rural water supply projects from the funds provided under ARWSP. The following norms are being adopted